HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 358

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Benjamin Lloyd Dobbs for ranking tenth in his class at Lewis County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Benjamin Lloyd Dobbs is one such exceptional student who recently ranked tenth in the 2009 graduating class at Lewis County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Benjamin has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, he has earned an exemplary grade point average and has demonstrated tremendous leadership through his involvement in numerous extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, a leader among his peers, Mr. Dobbs achieved the rank of Chief Master Sergeant in the Civil Air Patrol, stood as President of the Science Club, and was Sergeant of Arms for the French Club; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, Benjamin garnered several awards and honors for his academic achievements, including an Intermediate Algebra Award and an English I Award; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Dobbs's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, Benjamin's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Danny and Roberta Dobbs, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, his dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Benjamin Lloyd Dobbs upon ranking tenth in the 2009 Lewis County High School graduating class, applaud his remarkable academic success, and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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